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Action in United States Patent  
Application No. 10/008,980

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Dear Examiner Talbot:

Attached is a Response to February 13, 2003 Official Action in U.S. Patent Application No. 10/008,980 for Method of Fabricating Iridium-Based Materials and Structures on Substrates (as amended) including.

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****In re United States Patent Application of:****Applicants:** Thomas H. Baum, et al.**Serial No.:** 10/008,980**Date Filed:** December 6, 2001**Title:** Method of Fabricating Iridium-Based  
Materials and Structures on Substrates, and  
Iridium Source Reagents Therefor**Group Art Unit:** 5984 1762**Examiner:** Brian K. Talbot**FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION CERTIFICATE**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 13, 2003 IN U.S. PATENT APPLICATION 10/008,980 AND PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2003, applicant respectfully requests entry of the following Response and consideration of the subsequent remarks.

